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To: Members of the Legislature's Labor and Public Employees Committee Subject: Reject SB 913: Mandatory Paid Time Off

Dear Legislature's Labor and Public Employees Committee,

The State needs to figure out ways to cut their own benefit packages not increase ours. The only reason State Legislators want to pass this is to create an excuse for the State and Municipal workers to keep the cushy benefits they already have, such as paid personal days, paid sick days, paid vacation days, paid holidays, big pensions, big health benefits, on and on and on.

Again the State needs to concentrate their efforts on cutting their own costs without trying to figure out ways to increase the private companies costs of doing business.

Respectfully,

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